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### Subpart A—General

#### § 401.1 Definitions.

(a) In the construction of the regula-  
tions in this part, unless the context  
otherwise requires, words importing  
the singular number shall include the  
plural and words importing the plural  
number shall include the singular; and,

(b) *Applicant* means the Government  
or person on whose behalf an applica-  
tion is presented to the Commission in  
accordance with § 401.12;

(c) *Government* means the Govern-  
ment of Canada or the Government of  
the United States of America;

(d) *Person* includes Province, State,  
department or agency of a Province or  
State, municipality, individual, part-  
nership, corporation and association,  
but does not include the Government of  
Canada or the Government of the  
United States of America;

(e) *Oath* includes affirmation;

(f) *Reference* means the document by  
which a question or matter of dif-  
ference is referred to the Commission  
pursuant to Article IX of the Treaty;

(g) *The Treaty* means the Treaty be-  
tween the United States of America  
and His Majesty the King, dated the  
11th day of January 1909;

(h) *Canadian section* consists of the  
*commissioners appointed by Her Majesty  
on the recommendation of the Governor in  
Council of Canada*;

(i) *United States section* consists of the  
Commissioners appointed by the Presi-  
dent of the United States.

#### § 401.2 Chairmen.

(a) The commissioners of the United  
States section of the Commission shall  
appoint one of their number as chair-  
man, to be known as the Chairman of  
the United States Section of the Inter-  
national Joint Commission, and he  
shall act as chairman at all meetings  
of the Commission held in the United  
States and in respect to all matters re-  
quired to be done in the United States  
by the chairman of the Commission.

(b) The commissioners of the Cana-  
dian section of the Commission shall  
appoint one of their number as chair-  
man, to be known as the Chairman of  
the Canadian Section of the Inter-  
national Joint Commission, and he  
shall act as chairman at all meetings  
of the Commission held in Canada and  
in respect to all matters required to be  
done in Canada by the chairman of the  
Commission.

(c) In case it shall be impracticable  
for the chairman of either section to  
act in any matter, the commissioner of  
such section who is senior in order of  
appointment shall act in his stead.

#### § 401.3 Permanent offices.

The permanent offices of the Com-  
mission shall be at Washington, in the